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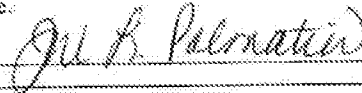
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This Amendment and Response is in reply to the Office Action mailed on April 21, 2009. Applicants request consideration of the pending Claims in the above-identified patent Application based on the amendments to the Claims and the remarks herein.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the Claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper;

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.